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THE GREAT COINTELLES

London, Nov. 10.—The movement of retreat of the German army in Belgium continues, according to a telegram received by the Exchange Telegraph company from its Rotterdam correspondent. Thirty-five thousand men and one hundred guns have left Thionville in the direction of Ghent and 48 wagon loads of munitions have left Bruges for the same destination.

MOST AWFUL BATTLE IN WHICH HUMANITY HAS EVER ENGAGED

Belgian Officer Says Fight Now Taking Place at Ypres Most Ferocious and Bloodiest Episode of War—Individuals Do Not Count—War Without Soul and Adventure.

(By Phillip Gibbs)
In Northern France, Nov. 10.—Ypres is now the storm center, and after 10 days' battle of guns, which is beyond doubt the most ferocious and bloodiest episode in the war, the Germans are endeavoring to repair their shattered strength by bringing up every available man and gun for another battle of slaughter.

"When the history of the past 10 days comes to be written in detail, if ever the truth is told, it will be recognized as the most awful conflict in which humanity has ever been tried. It is a battle of annihilation, and the resistance and nerve strength of the British troops has been almost supernatural, and the French have fought with a gallantry beyond all praise. But, mainly on both sides, it has been simply a slaughter, in which all human qualities have been annihilated or at least stupefied by the destructive power of the artillery.

"War Without Soul," said a Belgian officer last night, "it is not a battle of arms, it is a battle of nerves. It is a war without soul or adventure. In the early days of the war, the country with a party of scout scouts there was some sport in it. Any surer, you could get some kind of payment. The individual counted. But now, in the business of the Ypres, what counts is the gun that does all the business, leaving out shells and delivering death in a merciless way. It is a gun against gun, with men as the targets as helpless as the leaves torn from the autumn trees around by the storm of hell. Our men are falling like the leaves, and the ground is heaped with them and there is no decisive victory on either side. One week of death is followed by another week of death. The position changes a little, that is all, and the business goes on again. It is appalling."

The German losses must be also enormous. How great they are it is impossible to say. I sometimes fear that we have a tendency to over estimate the proportion of casualties among an enemy superior to us in sheer weight of numbers. Be that as it may, there is no doubt that during these last 10 days there have sacrificed themselves with the kind of valor such as heaped the fields of Omdurman with Sudanese. The Kaiser is the new Mahdi for which the men die in masses going with resignation to inevitable death.

DEMONSTRATION FARMS FOR DRY SOUTH DISTRICT

Government Will Establish Institutions For Instruction of Farmers

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—A decision to establish two demonstration farms in southwestern Saskatchewan and southern Alberta has been reached by the government. Owing to the failure in those districts from drought the government sent Professor Grisdale, superintendent of experimental farms, to investigate. He has reported that even during this abnormally dry season, where there was proper cultivation there were fair crops and this has led the government to decide to locate demonstration farms in those districts.

One will probably be placed at Maple Creek, D. J. Wylie, member for the Maple Creek district, has been a persistent advocate of such farms in the dry area, and his judgment has been secured by the best authorities. The other will likely be between Medicine Hat and Lethbridge.

BETTER PROVISION MADE FOR WIVES AND CHILDREN OF SOLDIERS

London, Nov. 10.—The government has made public details of a new plan for allowances and pensions to the dependents of the soldiers and sailors. The new plan, which is the result of a meeting of the committee of the House of Commons, will provide for the dependents of the soldiers and sailors. The plan provides for a long way to meet the needs of the dependents of the soldiers and sailors. It is believed that it will be the cause of no disappointments.

Provision is made in the plan for state assistance to fathers and mothers of other dependents of unmarried men. The scale of pensions for widows and orphans is considerably increased. The pension allowances will be paid for 20 weeks after notification of death. A widow on remarriage will receive the minimum gratuity of \$185 in lieu of £65. Total disability will carry a pension of from 14 shillings per week for a single man of the lowest rank to 23 shillings for a married man with children.

Unconditionally Handed Over.
London, Nov. 10.—The German Warship of the Ypres, according to a dispatch received by the Central News from Shanghai, was unconditionally handed over to Japan at 10 o'clock this morning.

GERMAN ATTACKS REPULSED WARSHIP RAIDER IS BURNED FIERCE FIGHTING GOES ON WITHOUT AN INTERMISSION

TRAINLOADS OF GERMAN ARTILLERY LEAVING FOR GHENT SAYS LONDON WIRE

London, Nov. 10.—A despatch to the Central News from Amsterdam says: "Trainloads of German artillery are leaving the Lys valley in the direction of Ghent. The German army headquarters has been transferred to Alost." "The town of Alost is 15 miles west of Brussels and 40 miles east to the fighting area around Dixmude."

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KILLS COLONEL, TAKES FLAG AND 40 GERMAN AND DESTROYS BATTERY

London, Nov. 10.—The Cherbourg correspondent of Reuters sends the following: "A Belgian soldier, Emil Sapin, 22 years old, who has arrived here for a few days, took a chevron of the legion of honor as a result of his exploits in the past few days."

"Single handed, Sapin destroyed a German battery, took a Hussar regiment flag, killed the German colonel and made 40 prisoners."

TURKS GET TASTE OF MEDICINE THEY WERE LOOKING FOR

Determined Effort to Oust Russians at Kohrikol Ends in Defeat.

FIGHT DECIDED BY BOLD MOVE OF THE COSSACKS

Turkish Forces Flee and Are Now Dispersed Over Difficult Mountain Country.

Petrograd, Nov. 10.—On Saturday the Turks made a determined effort to oust the Russians from a very important position taken the day before at Kohrikol on the river Araks, 10 miles from Erzerum. This region is one of mountains, one of which rises more than six thousand feet at Erzerum, with a fortress on its summit.

The Turks moved up two divisions under the command of Kurid Pasha, and Herse, from Hassenau, ten miles further along the high road to Erzerum. This force had forty-eight field guns and several pieces of heavy artillery. The Russians occupied the heights which the Turks stormed repeatedly, always being repulsed by vigorous assaults which aimed at turning the Russian flank.

The fight lasted the greater part of the day, and was decided by a bold movement of Cossack mountain batteries which gained the heights in the rear of the Turkish forces and shelled them from an entirely unexpected quarter. The result was that the Turks broke and fled, first on their left, then along the whole line. The Russians remained in possession of the next stage of the high road to Erzerum, which place they may reach today.

BERLIN CLAIMS A SUBMARINE AND AIRSHIP BATTLE WITH CRUISER

After Heavy Fighting Muscovites Stated to be Driven Across Frontier.

Berlin, Nov. 10.—Another Russian repulse on the blood drench and trench scarred hills of the eastern frontier of east Prussia has been reported to Berlin from Gumbinnen under date of November 8. Simultaneously with their operations against the main army under General von Hindenburg on the left of the river Warthe, the Russians attempted to break into east Prussia by the river mouth of the Vistula, but they were met at the frontier by General von Moller's army, and after very heavy fighting were driven back across the frontier.

No intimations regarding the strength of the forces engaged have been published here but they must have been considerable inasmuch as the Russians are reported as having left 4,000 prisoners in German hands. The fighting was on the battle ground where the Germans met the Russians in the early days of the war and which since has been the scene of repeated engagements. The tide of invasion and counter attack swept back and forth across the frontier.

At the same moment a lookout signaled that a submarine was only 300 yards to the starboard side of the cruiser. The submarine discharged a torpedo almost as soon as she was sighted, but the cruiser had time to shift her helm and the deadly missile went by not more than three feet from the stern. Before the submarine could make a second attempt the cruiser had shown its bows, and the submarine broadside must sink her, for she was never seen again.

Another submarine came stalking up on her other side and the destroyer endeavored to draw the cruiser's fire, while the submarine crept in and dealt a deadly blow.

The Waldeck Rousseau was easily matched by the prowess of them, and shortly after the destroyer turned and ran for the harbor with a nasty list to port, while the submarine dived to escape the storm of shot and shell and did not show itself again.

CANADIAN PACIFIC WILL PAY DIVIDENDS JANUARY AT TEN PER CENT. YEAR

Montreal, Nov. 10.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific railway company held today, a dividend of two and one half percent, on the common stock for the quarter ended September 30 last, being at the rate of seven per cent per annum from revenue and three per cent, per annum from special income account, was declared payable January 2 next to shareholders of record at 2 p.m. on December 1 next.

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WITH PRACTICAL MAN IN CHARGE OF STREET RAILWAY THERE NEED BE NO TALK PRIVATE OWNERSHIP

Publicity Committee of Employees Has Some Interesting Things to Say Regarding Operations of Edmonton System—With Good Routing and No Transfers Except to Stub Lines, Could Sell Tickets at Seven for Quarter.

The employees of the Edmonton street railway system, having been charged with being somewhat responsible for the system not paying, feel that in justice to themselves and to the public it is expedient to present in the press information that is in their possession which has a further influence on the poor financial showing now made by the system.

In view of the fact that a change of supervising officials has not materially improved the situation, and the present commissioner of operation presents as his opinion that a further change of officials would not help, it is suggested that the disclosures of this committee be carefully watched.

"Undoubtedly there is a small difference in amount of power used by large cars compared with smaller ones, but why quote the one city (Ottawa) for comparison to show why we should have smaller cars in Edmonton? Obviously the writer has not ridden in the smaller cars over our Edmonton road lines, which are very rough in many places, and had to hang on to seat to avoid being thrown over car. We have good cars and the public should appreciate them. The trouble is we have too many little cars and little men. There is only one line using large cars that run from one extreme of the city to the opposite extreme; i.e., the parking plant line, and this is the best paying line the system has. By a proper routing of other lines and a schedule giving sufficient time to make trip

on the parking plant line there should be no reason why these cars could not fill in for frequent service on Jasper avenue. The present schedule gives a 50 minute running time from one end to the other on the parking plant line on Sundays, and a 20 minute service. One motorman states he ran three trips one Sunday afternoon; the next day he was ten minutes late on each trip, his third trip he was 20 minutes late. This looks like service with a vengeance.

The capitalization and power charges compared with other cities are too high, and thousands of dollars have been charged to the system which an investigation would show ought to be charged somewhere else.

Commissioner Harrison stated a change of officials would not help. Why was this statement made? Probably to save the superintendent from losing his position. A practical man can be obtained for \$2,000 per year and will not require an automobile to ride to and from office or around the system. It is only recently that the charge has been made that we were not carrying the people. Before the war the average number of passengers carried was about double the present number and even then it was showing a large deficit.

"If the system is to be made to pay, a thorough investigation should be made, then with a practical man in charge, a man who by experience knows how a system should be run, there will be no need of discussing private ownership."

The publicity committee of the employees has held a meeting and the following letter has been handed to the City:

"Editorial article in the Bulletin of November 2 states with reference to the street railway system, it is beyond question that under the agreement between the street railway men and the city, the management has not been efficient in the city's interest. What is there in the agreement that is wrong? Wherein did the management fail in not being efficient in the city's interest? There is little use in making statements like the above and leaving it to the people to guess why come right out with it; if there is any inference to make, let us hear it."

"Further down the page Mr. Harrison states that the fixed charges for interest, sinking fund, depreciation amount to \$4,000 and the operating charges to \$1,250 per day. At the same time the earnings range from \$1,000 to \$1,200 per day. The net result is that the earnings produce from \$500 to \$800 per day more than the fixed charges. Out of this amount wages and power must be paid. The puzzle to be solved is, how to give an adequate service over 50 miles of street railway while paying out only \$500 to \$800 per day for power and wages."

"It might be pointed out that the present earnings are not normal on account of the war and insufficient service on some lines; how can you expect people to ride when they have to wait 20 minutes for cars as they do on Alberta avenue on Sundays? When the present schedule went into effect the superintendent called up the car barns and asked what was the trouble with the cars; that there had not been one along for 20 minutes. This schedule had been O. K'd by the superintendent giving a 20 minute service. This service might be alright from John and Alberta to the parking plant, but is not adequate on Alberta from John street west to Kirkness. Also ask the people in the west end if they are getting adequate service, especially on Sundays? If anyone wants to take the early C.P.R. train they either have to procure some other conveyance or work."

"By cutting the service on poor lines and giving adequate service on others, with a proper routing of cars, a substantial move would be made toward increasing revenue. Experiments such as have been tried and some of the others suggested, will only add to the difficulty instead of benefiting. Instead of having radial and city lines as suggested, which might be alright in theory or in cities sufficiently large to require suburban service, give seven tickets for 20 cents, and no transfers except on stub lines, if stub lines are maintained. This would encourage short riders, and would not be excessive fare where many of the cars were necessary of cars would only be for long riders. Or if transfers are deemed necessary give six tickets for 25 cents."

KIDNEY TROUBLE AFFECTED HIS SPINE

Suffered For Forty Years Until He Used "Fruit-A-Lives"

BRIDGE, Oct. 27, Oct. 31st, 1913. "For about forty years I was troubled with Lame Back brought on by Kidney and Bladder Trouble. I was never confined to my bed with the trouble, but it affected my spine and I had to rest for a time. I took advertised remedies but never did me any good. Then I saw 'Fruit-A-Lives' advertised and decided to try them. They did me more good than any other remedy. My son suffered from the same trouble and frequently had to leave off working, but 'Fruit-A-Lives' remedied it for him. I would strongly advise anyone suffering from Kidney and Bladder Trouble to use 'Fruit-A-Lives'."

H. DORLAND
Age, 60, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-A-Lives Limited, Ottawa.

Two Charged With Murder.

Winnipeg, Nov. 10.—Harry Mason and Grace Bayles are jointly charged with the murder of John J. McCole. They appeared in the St. Boniface police court yesterday before Magistrate Turcotte, and listened to the formal reading of the charge against them. This over, they were remanded until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock to answer to the charge.

Sidney Nott, who was arrested with Mason and the girl at Saskatoon, also appeared before the magistrate. He was remanded until Saturday without any charge being laid against him. He is held as an accessory after the fact.

BOTH PARTIES CLAIMING VICTORY IN WISCONSIN GUBERNATORIAL SHOW

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 8.—Attorneys for Governor E. McGovern, republican, and the republican state committee were prepared today to file papers demanding a recount of the votes cast for United States senators which show that Paul O. Huston, democrat, has been elected by approximately 1,000 votes.

The papers demanding a recount charge that illegal instructions were issued to election officials regarding the elimination of ballots not properly marked.

It is declared at the McGovern headquarters that Huston had only a few hundred and that this will be wiped out if the ballots disallowed are counted.

On the other hand, Huston claims a majority will further add to his plurality.

PURE BLOOD MAKES HEALTHY PEOPLE

Hoof's Sarsaparilla removes scurfiness, boils and other eruptions, because it drives out of the blood the humors that cause them. Eruptions cannot be successfully treated with external applications, because these cannot purify the blood.

Hoof's Sarsaparilla makes rich, red blood, results the digestion, and builds up the whole system. Insist on having Hoof's. Get it now.

CLOGGED NOSTRILS OPEN AT ONCE, HEADS COLDS AND CATARRH VANISH

In One Minute Your Stuffy Nose and Head Clears, Sneezing and Runny Coughs, Dull Headache Gones.

Try "Ely's Cream Balm." Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stuffed-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dizziness and headache disappear. If, moreover, the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone. End such misery now! Get the small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous droppings into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" any your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS SIT HERE NOVEMBER 20

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—Assistant Commissioner David Scott and Commissioner A. E. Goodeve, representing the board of railway commissioners, will leave for the usual sittings in the west next Thursday. The board will sit at Winnipeg, November 16, and thereafter the following sittings have been fixed: Prince Albert, November 18; Edmonton, November 20; Prince George, November 21; Calgary, Nov. 22; Vancouver, Nov. 26; Victoria, Dec. 2; Medicine Hat, December 10 Regina, December 11; and Port William, Dec. 14.

Nottingham P. 3, Wolverhampton W. 1.

Getting Ready for Winter.

London, Nov. 10.—A despatch from Copenhagen to the Central News says: "According to a Berlin telegram, Germany is making enormous preparations for a winter campaign, with tents, sleighs, and outfit for an entire army."

New London, Conn. is given a new record of 10 of the late 22s. Henry McGraw Smith.

Guilty of Assassination.

A man, razor in hand, was caught by his wife assassinating not an enemy, but a cow—what he needed was Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's safe, painless and cures. Try Putnam's—cures so fast, 25c. at all dealers.

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A Colonization Scheme to Settle Alberta Improved Farms, and having the strongest endorsement of both members of Provincial and Dominion Governments. A limited number of shares will be offered to the Public of Alberta; the balance is being subscribed by Old Country capitalists.

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A Good Profit is Assured in addition to the 7% on Preferred Shares. THE SAFEST AND SANEST INVESTMENT ON THE MARKET TODAY.

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Back to the Land

The agricultural tide is on the turn even now. The war is responsible for this great back to the land movement, and it's a safe prediction that Alberta will experience in the spring the greatest land rush the province has ever seen. Farmers are assured big prices for many years on cattle, grain and produce to supply an ever-increasing demand.

The Result Will Be a Great Reaction in Farm Lands, and Increased Values.

There never was a greater opportunity to buy Farm Lands at rock bottom prices than now. The company intend to secure all they can get if the price is right, and will assist the incoming tide of settlers to locate on their holdings, which will be all improved and close to railroad facilities, thereby assuring the settler a crop the first year and a market for all he can raise.

The Alberta Farm and Colonization Co., Ltd., will assist the settler not only by selling him an Improved Farm for a small cash payment and the balance in crop payments, but will start him off right with first grade cattle and a team of horses from the company's own Stock Farm.

THE CRYING NEED OF ALBERTA IS—GET PEOPLE ON THE LAND

The Alberta Farm and Colonization Co., Ltd., are working with that end in view. Help Your Province by Investing in this Company. You could not put your capital to a better cause or be assured of a safer investment.

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On a Pedestal

Those things we value most highly, as symbolizing the best in Art, in Science or in Literature, are fittingly placed upon a pedestal, where we can look up to them.

Figuratively speaking, we also place upon the pedestal of our imagination, those high ideals, those lofty aspirations, by which, in our more thoughtful moments, we would wish to guide our conduct.

Among those guiding principles, why not place upon a pedestal of its own, an ideal that may be better described as "Canada First," rather than "Made in Canada."

The "Made in Canada" movement stands for far more than mere commercial patriotism. Pride of country, pride of national resources, pride of national accomplishment in the realms of literature, art and science, pride of virile citizenship, and pride of national destiny, are all embraced within the broad sweep of this deep seated and soul stirring movement.

Future generations will look back to 1914 as an epoch marking year in Canada's history if you, in common with all her citizens, will only resolve, from this day forward, to be guided by the motto

"CANADA FIRST"

Billiousness

When the liver refuses to work there is no remedy like the combination of dandelion, marsh-mallows, and other herbs, which they stimulate and purify. They bring bile to the digestive organs, get it out, and they eliminate catarrh from the liver.

Parmelee's VEGETABLE Pills

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HEREAFTER THE DISADVANTAGE ALWAYS WITH GERMANY.

In every war in which the Prussians have engaged their advantage has lain almost entirely in preparedness and willingness to strike a quick blow in the dark.

German geography was made that way. In 1740 Frederick II. secretly raised 100,000 and marched into Silesia. Maria Theresa's first knowledge that any Prussian had designs against her territory was through the information that the Prussians were in possession. In 184 again Prussia invited Austria to co-operate against Denmark and the Danes' first intimation that the rebellion in Schleswig-Holstein had assumed the aspect of an international war was when they found their troops opposed to Prussian and Austrian troops. To Austria's demand for a fair share of the conquered territory Prussia's reply in 1866 was to launch troops against Vienna and the battle of Sadowa, which decided the fate of Austria and the "Seven weeks' war" was fought before more than half of Austria had discovered that Prussia had so suddenly changed from ally to enemy. Again in 1870 Prussian militarism laid a trap for the over-confident French by preparing for war first and then exciting the French nations into declaring war. In eleven days Germany had 600,000 men on foot crowding against the French frontier, while the French were not within months of being in the same state of preparedness. It cost France Alsace-Lorraine to find that out.

That this time-honored strategy was the one to have been pursued in the present war is already too well known to require repetition. So quick did the Prussians jump that the big guns, ready loaded at Essen and coming forward by special trains, were three days behind the advance guard when it reached Liege, and they were 100 miles behind von Kluck when he got within sight of Paris. On the east frontier the Prussians were in sight of Warsaw almost before the bear had wakened up.

This great facility for rapid movement on the part of the Prussians constituted the factor which might have been expected to decide the result of the war in the early part. Certainly the Prussian strategy board was ruthlessly active in attempting the quick blow. But the part of the war when the German advantage of preparedness could be made to count is already over. Yesterday the allies were in Germany at three points, the invader is invaded and the German empire is distinctly on the defensive.

This does not mean that the war is over. On the contrary it may take months and years to beat them back to Berlin. Germany still has the striking power for one more giant blow in the north-east corner of France. Should this go against the allies it might change the whole face of the war. But should the allies succeed in holding the German avalanche, as they have held it steadily for six weeks, it will probably be the last great onslaught directed against either Paris or London, and from that moment forward the outcome of the war can be no longer in doubt, although—should Prussia prove stubborn—the cost of the outcome may aggregate a million or even two million human lives.

What the present situation does mean is that Germany's greatest military asset—preparedness—has been exhausted without securing victory. Hereafter the disadvantage is always with her.

SCIENCE FIRST RECOGNIZED BY THE MUNICIPALITY.

In the circumstance—coincidence if you will—that the gas flow was struck in the Viking well within 130 feet of the depth named by Clapp and Huntley as the probable depth at which gas would be found there is the subject matter for quite a little nomenclature on the possible value of geology as an applied science, and the sagacity which called it into play.

Clapp and Huntley are journeyman geologists whose business it is to tell people where certain valuable properties—oil and gas their specialty—are most likely to exist. Accepting a retainer from the city they come to Alberta, dig up previous reports out of dusty archives, compare those of the Dominion and other geologists of various dates, and on this general delimitation of rock formations go into the field to look for what they are searching for.

Sixty or 70 miles to the east of Edmonton, so the previous reports show them, is a Belly River shale, the lowest formation showing on the central prairies of Alberta. The indications are that this shale and the Devonian below is in the form of a gigantic arch. The arch should hold gas or oil, or both. By a series of calculations altogether too abstruse for the lay mind the geologist figures how much of the original rock structure has been carried away by the glacial action which took place a mere matter of 25 million years or so ago; also he locates the summit or apex of his arch—anticline, lately more familiar—figures his dip or drop, per mile, calculates, in his own way, about how far toward the apex the porous rock in the underlying arch should be saturated with gas, where the water would be likely to lie below and the oil to lie above, and in the finish he drives a stake—\$5,000 please—"if you do not get it there I am no geologist, or the stuff is not in the country."

Clapp and Huntley had a territory larger than Great Britain in which to play their game of finding the needle in the haystack. But they drove their stake in the exact spot and came within 140 feet of telling the exact distance the drill would have to go. They were scientists who guessed right.

In view of the fact that there have been several hundreds of thousands of dollars spent by private enterprise putting down holes in places in Alberta where any expert worthy of the name would have wept at the waste of money, this Clapp and Huntley experience which is showing the city to have been the first institution with sufficient horse sense to have its well scientifically located will come as a rather insuperable obstacle to the hackneyed argument that municipalities have not sufficient intelligence to be entrusted with the handling of their own business.

THE BEAR COMMENCES TO WALK LIKE A MAN.

While operations in the Western theater of war have been very largely monopolizing the attention of Canadians, owing

no doubt to the fact that it is there that the British are engaged, sight should not be lost of the fact that there is a larger and much greater campaign going forward upon the eastern frontier of Germany and in this eastern theater the representative of the allies is coming on at a tremendous rate.

Stretching in an irregular line from the Baltic in East Prussia, through Poland and Galicia almost to the Black Sea, Russia now has on her fighting front the most stupendous army that the world has ever seen in action. Not less than four million men are now on the front or very quickly assembling there, a number so vast that the mind can scarcely grasp its true proportions. Opposed to this Germany and what is left of the Austrian military power has somewhere in the neighborhood of two and one-half million. For the first few weeks, owing to the vast distances which she had to bring her troops, the Russian movement was slow. But latest advices seem to indicate that the bear is commencing to walk like a man and the French seers who in her vision saw the Cossacks watering their horses in the Rhine may live to see the vision come true.

NO SUCH SUSPICION AGAINST THE BULLETIN.

The Bulletin alleges that under the councilmanic form of municipal government an undesirable councillor may be gotten rid of, but under commission form it would be impossible to get rid of an undesirable commissioner.

The thing the matter with the Bulletin's statement is that it is the exact reverse of the truth.

Under councilmanic government a councillor holds office, even in spite of the most potent worthlessness, until the end of his term. Under commission government a commissioner may be removed immediately upon discovery of unsuitableness or worthlessness by invoking the recall.

The allegation to the contrary having appeared in the Bulletin, the correction is scarcely necessary. It is quite a while since anyone suspected the Bulletin of any intention to tell the truth.

BIG PUBLIC MEETING THURS. NIGHT LYCEUM THEATRE NEW CHARTER

Many prominent speakers will present Edmonton's new "Home Rule" Charter which is declared by municipal scholars to be model instruments municipal government unsurpassed on North American Continent

FIRST HALF HOUR WILL TALK GAS

W. R. Martin, manager drilling company, will give some facts and figures about natural gas in general and about the Edmonton well at Viking in particular—Opposition speakers support old charter

With the discovery of natural gas—thanks to the Industrial Association—Edmonton now only requires a real system of municipal administration to guarantee the proper conduct of public business. We will vote on such a system December 14.

A meeting of the council will be held Thursday evening, Nov. 12th, in the Lyceum Theatre, Third and Jasper, at 8 o'clock, when Edmonton's Electric Commission Government, new city charter will be discussed fully, and from all phases. The first half hour of the meeting will be given over to talk of Edmonton's natural gas well, and W. R. Martin, manager of the drilling company, to whom much credit is due, will present some facts and figures which will assist in gaining a fuller realization of just what this last municipally owned public utility, with proper administration, will mean to Edmonton.

W. J. McNamara, ex-mayor; Prof. W. H. Alexander, of Alberta University; Mr. C. S. Stevens, managing director of the Hardstone Brick Company; James East, ex-alderman, will present the new Model Charter. Provision is made for opposition speakers who may care to defend the old city charter.

The evening promises to be a most interesting and instructive one. Edmonton electors vote on this new direct administration charter on December 14th, and every man and woman should become thoroughly conversant with its provisions.

There is no doubt but that the seating capacity of the Lyceum will be taxed. Seats will be reserved for ladies until 7:55. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock promptly. Be there.

Muslimen Favor France.

Paris, Nov. 10.—A Havas despatch from Algiers says: "The governor general of the province daily is in receipt of communications from native muslimen chiefs expressing loyalty to France. One of the communications says: 'Our devotion to the French cause is absolute. We are prepared to make any sacrifice for the enemies of France, who also are our enemies.'"

UNSTRUNG, UNSTEADY SHAKY NERVES

MAY BE TONED UP BY USING MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS.

Mrs. John Harper, Toronto, Ont., writes: "I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for the heart and nervous system. I was confined to a grocery store for twelve years, and had to give up business, as I became terribly run down and nervous, and had heart trouble, and I am sure I am gaining very fast now. I feel that nothing did me any good until I tried your Heart and Nerve Pills, and am positive they will cure me. The nerve of one hand would tremble and then seem to go numb so that I could not write or sew. Now my hand is quite steady, as you can see by my handwriting. This is a big change which I might say so much for I thought all was done that could be done. I was about to give up in despair when I tried this last remedy, and even after I had only taken half a box the change started to come."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will restore the enfeebled, nervous, exhausted, overworked system to full constitutional power. Price, 50 cents per box, 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

FIRST CAR LOCAL SUPPLIES BELGIAN RELIEF NOW READY

Donations Keep Pouring in—Believed Two More Cars Will Be Sent Later.

AUSTRIAN LABORER GIVES ONE DOLLAR TO THE FUND

Flour, Bacon, Hard-tack, Biscuits and Tea Will go Long Way to Aid Sufferers.

The first carload of food supplies to be sent to the Belgian sufferers, and purchased with funds collected in the city within the past few days, has already begun its journey, and all the orders have been placed. As the collection of funds for the Belgian relief will continue all this week, it is expected that another car or two will be sent later. The C.P.R. have sent three cars to Edmonton to be used free of charge for the carrying of the supplies to Montreal, from whence they will be sent to the Belgian sufferers.

The first car will include the following supplies: Chest of tea, donated by Davis and Mohr; 140 bags of flour, 40 of which were donated, 25 by the Alberta Milling company, 25 by Campbell and Ottewill, and 10 by J. A. Haller; 2,000 pounds dry salt bacon and 2,000 pounds pickled hams purchased from the P. Harris company, and the Swift Canadian company; 20 boxes pilot bread (hard tack) and 250 six-pound tins sweet biscuits, purchased from the Northeast Biscuit company. The total weight of the car will be 23,000 pounds and the value \$1,500, which amount is all on hand and the supplies already paid for.

A noteworthy donation to the Patriotic fund has been received by F. T. Aulter, secretary of the fund, from the village of Mangolia, a small settlement northwest of the city. The amount of the donation was \$25.00.

Secretary Finer was kept very busy on Monday counting all the silver and currency that was collected by the dog and pony method on Saturday for the Belgian relief. Approximately \$100 in silver was collected in the house, and the amount, weighing 25 pounds, was tediously carried to the bank this morning by Mr. Farber. The large number of two-bit pieces were most noticeable, while there were also many nickels and dimes and 15¢ coins. A notable fact was that there was not one silver dollar in the collection. The twelve boxes used for the collection were donated by the North-West Biscuit company and the tops soldered on by Ross Brothers. Eight bare bullet boxes were also used and these were borrowed from the city.

The following donations were received on Monday and others, not in the list came in this morning. Special note should be made to the first donation on the list, that of Pete Weratko, who donated a dollar to the fund. Pete is not a Belgian, but an Austrian, and climbed the five long flights of stairs at the Civic block to make his gift to the Belgian relief, and, although an Austrian, he was glad of the opportunity of helping the suffering Belgians. Previously acknowledged: \$1,312.13

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| Pete Weratko | 1.00 |
| H. Parson | 10.00 |
| P. W. Bolt | 10.00 |
| H. Parson | 2.00 |
| Isolation Hospital Staff | 24.00 |
| C. A. Halset | 5.00 |
| E. C. Jones | 2.00 |
| G. H. Richardson | 15.00 |
| Burnham-Fryth Electric Co. | 25.00 |
| Total | \$1,407.13 |

Preparing For Siege. Copenhagen, via London, Nov. 10.—The Serlinges Tidende correspondent with the Austrian army says that the Austrians are preparing for a siege, and that all inhabitants who have not provisions for three months have been ordered to leave the city.

Lincoln City, O. Derby County 6.

The Boys of Alberta Are Now Likely Near the Fighting Line

They will soon be in the thick of it and will give such a good account of themselves that every Albertan and every Canadian should watch them as closely as possible.

They are making history this minute. Any day the crucial battle of the greatest war of all time may be decided.

The easiest way to have a comprehensive idea of what is going on, besides reading the news despatches, is by the Daily Capital's war atlas, which has maps of all the countries concerned and of the districts where the battles are now going on, besides a veritable mine of information and pictures of the great holocaust, including the fleets and airships of the powers.

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BRITISH SINK GERMAN STORE SHIP AND TAKE ANOTHER—WITH EMDEN

London, Nov. 1.—A Sidney, N.W.S., despatch to the Evening News, says that the skipper of the steamer Tharn, arriving from Singapore, reports that after the German cruiser Emden's success in sinking the Russian and French warships at Penang, the German warship and two store ships were overtaken by a British cruiser. The man-of-war sank one store ship and captured the other.

St. Louis requires teachers to obtain consent of parents before whipping pupils.

SICK CHILDREN LOVE CASCARETS FOR THE BOWELS

Give "Candy Cathartic" for a Bad Cold, sour stomach, constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now. Most of the ills of childhood are caused by a sour, disordered stomach, sluggish liver and constipated bowels. They catch cold easily, become restless, irritable, feverish, restless, tongue coated, don't eat or sleep well and need a gentle cleansing of the bowels—but don't try to force a nauseating dose of oil into the little one's already sick stomach—it is cruel, needless and old-fashioned.

Any child will gladly take Cascarets Candy Cathartic which act gently—never gripe or produce the slightest uneasiness—though cleanse the little one's system, sweeten the stomach and put the liver and bowels in a pure, healthy condition.

Full directions for children and grownups in each package.

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What the Theater Press Agents Say

JAMES J. CORBETT GOOD STOR YELLER AT PANTAGES

The Pantages program this week is favored with the presence of a good story teller in the person of James J. Corbett, ex-heavyweight champion of the world. Corbett's name is known the world over and of him it must be said that he has the happy knack of telling stories in a way that make them interesting. There is real humor in what he has to say and he gets the laughs from the crowd. His stories are all relative to some unique sayings or experiences he has met with in the years of his boxing career. Altogether, he is well worth hearing and incidentally it is worthy of note the splendid physique of the former athlete and the "young" appearance of a man of his years. For James J. Corbett is 48 years of age but looks little more than half that. So many for years of careful training and downright hard exercise.

Of the other items of the bill, perhaps none more deserves a place near the top than Istaitis Brothers, a trio of acrobats who not only display ability and originality in their act but furnish comedy throughout their turn. They are altogether so odd and clever also.

The Transfield Sisters play several musical instruments only fair, while Skipper, Kennedy and Reeves, who were here a short time ago, are third rate singers and have not yet learned how to put anything funny over. A little less of the stony stuff and a little more of the comic might be welcome in their act.

Miss Helen Shipman has gathered a bunch of girls around her and called them minarets de luxe. The girls may belong to the de luxe variety but as to the minarets, not yet. Like all the other acts on the bill, with the exception of Corbett and the Istaitis brothers, this act lacks the needed zip for a vaudeville turn.

A film of pictures from the European war zone are shown but fail to bring anything exciting and the farcical manner in which the orchestra plays O.

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BIG SHOE ORDER GIVEN QUEBEC MANUFACTURERS BY FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Quebec, Nov. 5.—An order for 200,000 pairs of soldiers' shoes has been given to the Quebec Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' association by the French government through their representative of the province of Quebec in England. This news arrived on Saturday afternoon when Geo. E. Gale, of Gale firm, chairman of the association, received a cable containing the offer and the conditions of the contract. A meeting of all manufacturers was held shortly afterwards and it was decided to accept the offer, which will give 100,000 pairs for the local shoe industry. The first 50,000 pairs will be delivered in France by the end of December and the balance in January. It is rumored that the British war office will also give a substantial order to the association which includes 25 factories.

Canada and then adds a little tri-color and maple leaf music, leaving the audience at a loss to know whether to stand up or sit down, is a shame. This play of O Canada is O. K. but the effect is spoiled when they attempt to add the others.

COUNTRY STORE IS BIJOU FEATURE FOR TONIGHT.

The country store is the variety attraction at the Bijou tonight. At some 40 or 50 prizes will be handed over the counter of the typical country store that is fitted up on the Bijou stage, to the holders of the winning tickets and many of the prizes, if not all of them, are worth taking home, too. The great crowds that pack to overflowing the large Bijou auditorium during the amateur and gift night variety feature nights, attend as regularly and enthusiastically country store nights also, and to those who intend taking in the sport and this evening's show better arrive as early as possible to be assured of accommodation.

The pictures to be exhibited had their first presentation yesterday and are of high quality. "Lad's" is a real production in deserving of highest praise. The historical review war special is good, but entirely with war pictures and most interesting ones. It shows in part, the German army entering the Belgium capital together with their guns, horses and appliances; officers and men eating at the grub wagons, and other excellent events. This picture undoubtedly pleased for its abundance of war items and the excellence of the presentation.

Tonight is the last time that these films will be shown.

CANADA'S GIFT TO EMPIRE IS FINE EMPRESS FEATURE.

To crowds that packed the spacious Empress theatre at every performance, the picture shown the great five part motion picture production, "Canada's contribution to the British Empire." It is indeed an inspiring production that really is to the people of the dominion a moving picture that can be appreciated from many standpoints—local, patriotic, historical, pleasure.

And when Canada's second continent is being formed it comes at a particularly singular moment, for there can be no doubt that it will arouse an even better and more intensified spirit of enthusiasm amongst the people, than already so abundantly exists.

The scenes taken at the various points in Canada from Victoria to eastern Canada, show with wonderful fidelity the wide range of Canada's untiring efforts to assist England in fighting the German army.

The dominion government will retain a copy of the film as a record of the first mobilization of the present war and Canada's part in it. It is up to the time the transports sailed for England.

The management's claim that every loyal Britisher should see this film, is one that should be heeded for it is seldom if again a production of this character and value to everyone in the country at this time, will be offered. Tonight is the last time that it will be shown. There is no increase in the admission charge.

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The Grocery Department's Contributions of Economies for Wednesday

Just received, big shipment of Ramsey's Special Cocoa which is made for us from the cocoa bean. It is a strong, pure unadulterated product. It requires much less than many cocoas you are accustomed to using to give you the desired strength. The flavor is excellent, and we feel justified in recommending it to our customers. It stands for quality, purity and strength. Our special price:

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| Best Brand Corn Starch, 3 paks. | 25c | Nice Table Turnips, in 1/2 bushel cartons | 40c |
| Armour's Cleaner, regular 10c per tin, Wednesday, 4 tins | 25c | 200 boxes only, of fancy winter apples, "Black Twigs," wrapped and heavily packed. Wednesday per case | 1.35 |
| Cottage Brand Salmon, in 1/2 lb. tins. Regular 10c; special 4 tins | 35.50 | | |
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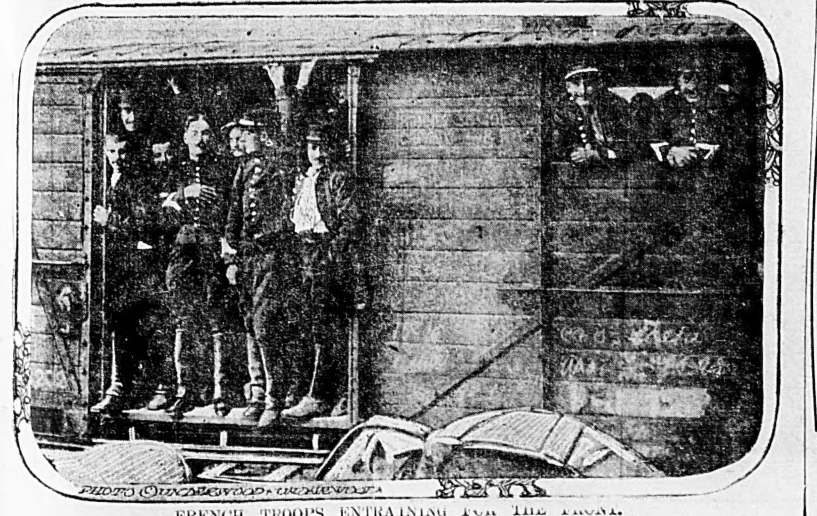
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SPORTS

ANNUAL HOCKEY REPORT GIVEN BY PRESIDENT ROBT. PEARSON

To the members of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association:

My address as president of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association will be somewhat brief. The report of the secretary will give you the details in regard to the work of the league.

The year 1913-14 was by far the most successful year in amateur hockey in the province of Alberta. The teams competing far outnumbered that of any other years. The spirit of the contest was splendid and championships in both senior and intermediate were carried out, both teams having to struggle against the keenest competition to win their respective divisions.

At the annual meeting a year ago pressure was brought to bear on me to retain the office of president in order that the scheme outlined in my president's address of a year ago for the perfecting of an intermediate series, might be carried through. I am glad to be able to assure you that the scheme of an intermediate league was carried through with even greater success than was anticipated by the officers of the league. In fact, the intermediate series was such a success that there seems to be some reason for the introduction of a junior series. The organization of such a series would, of course, require a good deal of time and patience and a slightly elastic constitution. Now that the intermediate series has been so well started, a more perfect constitution for that series should be drafted so that as much discretionary power would not be in the hands of the president.

I will refer in brief to the game of hockey itself. Hockey is one of our most splendid sports, developing in these days, take part in the game those who have the necessary qualities for it. It develops brain, brawn and stamina, and gives the player the better fulfil his place in life. This year during the great crisis through which our country is passing, we realize more than ever the need of this physical development in the life of the men of our nation.

Hockey is now being played almost all over the world. Some few years ago only some few countries took any interest in this game, but, with the increase in artificial ice, many countries are now playing this fascinating Canadian game. In

Paris the French people are learning the game and devoting considerable energy to the playing of hockey on their rinks. In Switzerland a game somewhat similar to hockey has been in vogue and is becoming all the time more popular. Larger crowds during the last few years in the city of Berlin have turned out to see our splendid game exemplified, while the city of Brussels, in what is now the devoted country of Belgium, has many enthusiastic hockey devotees. In the far south, across the equator in the country of Australia, in two important centers, Melbourne and Sydney, the game is played, while the Prince's Ice Hockey Club in London, England, has long promoted the game and claimed the championship of Europe until the celebrated Oxford Canadian team replaced them some few years ago. The colleges and cities of the United States have also taken considerable interest in the game, and now many of the universities have good teams which are playing a fine game.

In order that the highest advantages may be obtained from hockey it is always necessary to see that the game be kept as clean and pure as possible. During the last year all the amateur hockey associations of Alberta carried out splendid competitions in a very smooth and successful manner. There was not a single player in the whole province disqualified last year. Certain charges were made against some of the teams, which were not substantiated by any satisfactory evidence. Only one protest was entered during the year and that was against the work of an official and was dropped without even the calling of an executive meeting.

As president of the league it has been my duty to handle a great many matters that would ordinarily come before the executive. However, on account of the difficulty of calling an executive meeting because of the way in which the members are scattered over the province, I have endeavored to deal with matters by consulting those members of the executive that were nearest to the matter, and the interpretation of the rules and the constitution from various parts of the province, and usually the advice of the president was accepted and protests were thus avoided. The management of the different clubs in the province would do well to

WELL-KNOWN SPORT PROMOTER VISITS EDMONTON AGAIN

R. B. Benjamin, Manager of Hoppe and Inman, Making Final Preparations

R. B. Benjamin, one of the best known international sport promoters in the world, arrived in the city yesterday to make final arrangements for the Hoppe-Inman billiard match which starts in the Empire on Thursday afternoon. Mr. Benjamin is no stranger to Edmonton, having been here a year ago with the Australian cricket team when it toured this country.

Yesterday Mr. Benjamin renewed acquaintance with Jim Corbett, former heavyweight champion boxer of the world, who is appearing at Pantages theater this week. The two had not met for over 20 years, and naturally they were due for a lengthy conversation, including reminiscences of bygone days. Corbett was not best the premier fight honors of the world. At that time Mr. Benjamin was a light-weight wrestler, although his present appearance would certainly give no indication of the fact.

Naturally Mr. Benjamin is very enthusiastic over billiards and he believes that followers of the sport in this city will witness some exciting contest when the American and English champions clash here.

Jim won the match in Toronto by three points while Hoppe reversed the order at Winnipeg by defeating the Englishman by a majority of 40. In the "Peg Inman" played in very hard luck and feels sure that he will do better in this city.

Edmonton originally was not included in the itinerary of the players, and it was due entirely to the enterprise of Richardson Young that they were persuaded to stage a match in this city. It was with this purpose that he made a special trip to New York and it was only after much talk he managed to have the contract for their appearance in Edmonton signed.

Both players are exceedingly well-known in the billiard world. Inman

SPRINGER DEFEATED GEORGE SHARP IN THE EMPIRE TOURNAMENT

Otto Springer defeated George Sharp in the straight rail billiard tournament at the Empire billiard hall last evening by a score of 125 to 52. The winner was in fine stroke and accumulated high runs of 25, 18, 16. Sharp never looked like winning.

Two games are billed for tonight. In the English billiard tournament F. Galt meets Mitchell, while the straight rail tournament brings together Capt. Cliff and Dr. Young.

Last night's scores: Springer, 160; high runs, 23, 18, 16. Sharp, 52; high runs, 14, 12, 10. Referee Archie Kay.

MIKE GIBBONS WINS ONE SIDED FIGHT BEATING MIKE DONOVAN

New York, Nov. 10.—Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, defeated Young Mike Donovan of this city, in a ten round match at Madison Square Garden here last night, the referee stopping the one-sided contest in the sixth round to prevent a knockout.

Donovan was unable to make any impression on the western boxer, who displayed his usual cleverness. Gibbons weighed 154 1/4, and Donovan 155 1/4.

"Kid" Lewis, the English light-weight, met his first appearance in America in a ten round bout with Phil Bloom, of Brooklyn. Lewis out fought Bloom all the way. Both men weighed in at 135 pounds.

The Norfolk, 5,558 tons from New York, September 12, for Melbourne, caught fire at sea. She reported her condition by wireless and was beached in an endeavor to save her.

It is claimed there are no germs 200 feet in the air. And we are not going up in an aeroplane to prove it, either.

—The only man who has won the English championship three times in succession in actual competition and he holds the record score of 744 for a championship game. To one in the world can approach Hoppe playing 182 in one inning and he undoubtedly the greatest cue wizard now living.

Tiers of seats have been constructed in the Empire for those who attend the matches, a good view of the game.

MELBOURNE INMAN UNIQUE CHARACTER

Some Facts About Famous Billiard Player Who Meets Hoppe Here Soon.

If it were possible to map out a billiard player gifted with all the highest qualities required for his gentle art, and exactly as you come to him to be, you would find them in Melbourne Inman, the greatest champion that English billiards has yet produced. For this remarkable exponent of the oldest and most varied form of billiards has risen to the head of his profession, after a long climb up the ladder of fame. He went on in the face of tremendous difficulties and stern opposition, but determined to overcome them all and rise to the topmost rung. A man needs character, ability and courage to rank in the exclusive world-beating class in any branch of sport or business and whoever has won his way from the foot to the crown of the English billiard pedestal is no ordinary man.

To rank Melbourne Inman as a masterpiece among the select group of English professional billiardists is merely to do him justice. He came from a billiard stock to be traced back when the game was in its infancy. He might almost be said to have been born with a billiard cue in his hand. He is a big man on a rather small compass, another glowing instance of genius and ability being so disposed as to counter-balance mere physical shortcomings—the triumph of mind over matter again. He is one of the world's billiard wonders and a good conversationalist. He holds his cue right at the end and his "bricks" hand is the firmest possible. His pose is most practical, with the cue working under both eyes, and as a demonstrator of the exciting forcing strokes and the long drop cannons, he has no equal. For all round certainty, for steadiness, he stands out alone. For three years Inman has won the English championship. He has travelled through South Africa, Australia, India and New Zealand, and met and defeated the best that could be brought against him, a tournament and match player he is unique, having the supreme knack of being able to rise to any occasion, and whatever his fate may be in the series of international matches, he is about to undertake with the American champion, he will not fail for lack of nervous ability to reproduce his best form in the stress of so high an ordeal.

SECRETARY JAMES MANN GIVES REPORT OF PA ST. HOCKEY SEASON

To the officers and members of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association: Gentlemen,—I beg to present before my report to the eighth annual meeting of the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association.

Since the organization of the association in the back room of Post President R. H. Brown's drug store, in Red Deer, in November, 1907, up to the present time, hockey in Alberta has had many ups and downs. Some years we had fairly good representation in the association, while other seasons teams have not been plentiful, but, in reporting for the season 1913-14, the association can repeat the old saying, "the best in its history," without stretching the truth a fraction. In regard to the number of clubs competing and the harmony displayed by the various teams. Only one protest was presented to your officers to consider, that being a minor one put in by Okotoks, which your president disclaimed after consulting with a number of the executive.

There were ten teams in the senior and twenty in the intermediate series, showing the advisability of starting the latter.

The Dominions of Edmonton were successful in winning out in the senior but only after a hard season, their own division, the Inter-City, in particular giving them some trouble, after they successfully disposed of the Edmonton Pennants and the Melville Hat teams. They also journeyed to Regina to endeavor to lift the Allan cup, but after putting up a game struggle, lost out, although they were not outclassed by any means.

The intermediate games resulted in some good hockey and no doubt several of last year's intermediate players will be found in senior company next season. The Vics of Calgary were the champions of this division, but only after a very hard struggle, more particularly with Lacombe, the runners-up. I think the surprise of the league was the seventh team. They won a district rather handily and then suc-

cessfully disposed of Red Deer, Wetaskiwin and the Edmonton Pennants before losing out to the Vics.

The success of establishing the intermediate series last year should warrant us in going further this year and set a junior series established, and thus give the younger boys a chance. In this connection I would suggest an age limit of 20 years, the 20th birthday coming on or before January 1 of the playing season, permitting the player to compete in this series.

By having the three series, we can educate our own players instead of having to draw on eastern Canada for some of our fast men, and in addition it would create more interest in the game.

Taber and Corralton clubs, not having paid their last year's fees, should stand suspended.

The financial statement submitted herewith shows a balance on hand of \$41.25, a surplus of \$36.50 over the preceding season.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES MANN,
Secretary-Treasurer A.A.H.A.

HUGH MILLER WINS PHOENIX AUTO RACE MAKES NEW RECORD

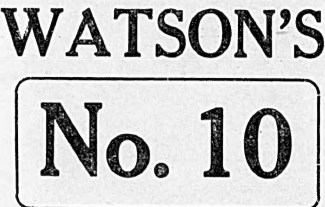
Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 10.—Hugh Miller, of Phoenix, won the El Paso-Phoenix road race of 583 miles in 14 hours, 36 minutes, reducing last year's time more than two hours.

J. T. Hutchins, Alamogordo, N. M., was second, time 15:57; C. Tucker, El Paso, third, time 16:40.

Miller's average was 37 miles per hour. His car overturned yesterday near Bisbee, but both he and his mechanic escaped injury.

SEVEN BRITISH WARSHIPS GOING ROUND THE HORN

New York, Nov. 5.—The steamer Camplata, which arrived here today from Brazilian ports, reported that between Rio Janeiro and Pernambuco, she passed a fleet of seven British warships bound south and that when she was off French Guiana she passed a French cruiser.



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NEWSPAPER DECISION GIVES WHITE A DRAW WITH FRED WALSH

Charlie White Left Ring Without a Mark While Champion Was Bleeding Profusely—Chicago Boy Had Better of Last Three Rounds in Whirlwind Finish.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 10.—Freddie Welsh, of Wales, lightweight champion of the world, was held to a draw by Charlie White, of Chicago, in a fiercely fought ten round contest here tonight. Under the law a referee decision could not be given, but it was the opinion of the newspaper experts that White evened up honors by his whirlwind finish.

White opened a wound over the champion's left eye and Welsh, partially blinded by a thin stream of blood, was forced to back away in the tenth and cover up to escape White's terrific rights and lefts to the head.

When they weighed in at 3 o'clock the champion, stripped at 141 and White in fighting garb weighed 135.

The first round was lively, but ineffective. White deserved a shade in the second and third round, landing a number of hard blows on Welsh and striving to put over his left hook, credited with being his knockout punch. White landed a good uppercut in the third and put right and left to the body, but followed by missing with three left hooks.

Welsh began to fight like a champion in the fourth, backing White into a corner and giving him a good landing, and in the fifth Welsh took an-

WHITE A DRAW WITH FRED WALSH

other big lead, whaling White all around the ring and taking little punishment in return. The Chicago boy showed better in the sixth, but Welsh jarred White with lefts and took the round by a shade.

White came back strong in the seventh and the round was about even.

Welsh deserved the eighth by a shade, though both boys missed many times.

White outfought Welsh in the ninth. They traded punches at the bell and after a hard rally in the center of the ring the Chicago boy made the champion back away. White drove Welsh into a corner and landed him with stinging rights and lefts to the body.

White rushed the fight in the tenth, again driving Welsh into a corner where he landed five times without a return. White opened up a cut over Welsh's head and peppered him with rights and lefts to the head. Welsh swung wildly, with blood trickling into his eye. He went into a clinch, and as they broke White put two lefts to Welsh's head and a right to his jaw. The last two rounds were White's all the way. White left the ring without a mark, while Welsh was bleeding profusely.

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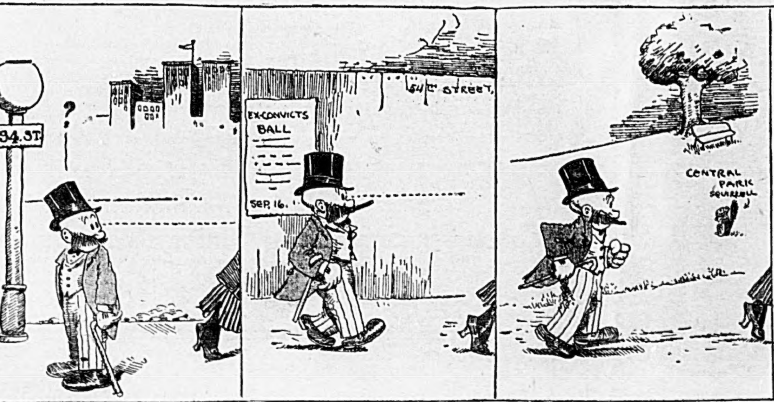
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